

8. Resolution #20-156 re: Approving Membership in Lakehurst First Aid Squad for Carmen Hernandez

Motion by: James Davis

Seconded by: Robert McCarthy

To approve consent agenda. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative with the exception of Council President Oglesby who abstained to Resolution #20-156 for he is a member of the First Aid Squad.

COMMITTEE/COUNCIL REPORTS:

Councilwoman Hodges reported the Ordinance Committee will be presenting the revised ordinances soon and added the Land Use Ordinance is ongoing.

Councilman DiMeo reported the Halloween Parade was a success and added the Manchester Times had a nice write up in the latest edition of their newspaper.

Councilman Lowe reported all generators on the fire trucks have been serviced.

Councilman Davis reported he spoke with Dean Hetzel of the VFW in regard to Veteran's Day Ceremony. Mr. Davis stated Mr. Hetzel feels the ceremony is "not doable" but is waiting to get an approval from the Mayor's office.

Mayor Robbins tasked Municipal Clerk Capasso to reach out to the VFW to let them know the Veteran's Day Ceremony will be held with social distancing in place.

Councilman McCarthy reported the Board of Education will reintroduce full week in-person learning the week of the 19th adding it will be half days. Mr. McCarthy stated this move is appropriate adding the school has had no cases of the virus.

MAYOR COMMENTS:

Mayor Robbins stated the Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony is an outside event and that it is feasible to hold the event and added the cookies and cocoa with Santa indoors would not be a "good idea".

Council President Oglesby stated he is not sure if the outside event should be held, giving the area around the borough tree, and also stated it would not be practical adding the number of cases in New Jersey are up.

Mayor Robbins officially announced the Tree Lighting Ceremony will be canceled this year along with the Rabies Clinic. Mayor Robbins stated next council meeting he and the council will announce the Citizen of the Year.

COMMENTS FROM PUBLIC:

Time opened: 7:46 pm

NO PUBLIC COMMENTS

Time closed: 7:46 pm

CLOSED SESSION:

Resolution to go into closed session read by Municipal Clerk Capasso:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Section 8 of the Open Public Meetings Act, Chapter 231, P. L. 1975, permits the exclusion of the public from a meeting in certain circumstances, **and**

WHEREAS, this public body is of the opinion that such circumstances presently exist.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Lakehurst, County of Ocean, State of New Jersey, as follows:

The public shall be excluded from discussion of and action upon the hereinafter specified subject matter.

The general nature of the subject matters to be discussed is as follows:

PERSONNEL MATTERS

It is anticipated at this time that the above stated subject matter will be made public.

This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Motion by: Steven Oglesby

Seconded by: James Davis

To approve resolution to go into closed session. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative.

Time into closed session: 7:47 pm

Time out of closed session: 7:48 pm

Motion by: James Davis

Seconded by: Patricia Hodges

To end closed session. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative.

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by: Brian DiMeo

Seconded by: Robert McCarthy

To adjourn meeting. Roll call vote held. All votes affirmative. Time: 7:48 pm

Maryanne Capasso, RMC
Municipal Clerk